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RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims the benefit of priority from U.S. Provisional Application Ser. No. 60/492,019 entitled "Shared Nothing on Shared Disk Hardware", filed August 1, 2003, which is incorporated by reference in its entirety for all purposes as if fully set forth herein.

This application is related to U.S. Application Ser. No. 10/718,875, entitled "One-Phase Commit in a Shared-Nothing Database System," by Roger Bamford, Sashikanth Chandrasekaran and Angelo Pruscino, filed November 21, 2003; and U.S. Application Ser. No. 10/831,401, entitled "Dynamic Reassignment of Data Ownership," by Roger Bamford, Sashikanth Chandrasekaran and Angelo Pruscino, filed April 23, 2004, and U.S. Application Ser. No. 10/831,413, entitled "Parallel Recovery by Non-Failed Nodes," by Roger Bamford, Sashikanth Chandrasekaran and Angelo Pruscino, filed April 23, 2004; and U.S. Application Ser. No. 10/831,248, entitled "Partitioned Shared Cache," by Roger Bamford, Sashikanth Chandrasekaran and Angelo Pruscino, filed April 23, 2004.